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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

LEE et al.

Customer No.

26817

Serial No. 09/850,239

Group Art Unit: 2137

Filed: May 7, 2001

Examiner: CALLAHAN, Paul E.

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PERFORMING PERMUTATIONS WITH BIT PERMUTATION INSTRUCTIONS

Confirmation No. 2238

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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 24, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: